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10 INVENTION: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR REDUCING THE CARBON
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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicant
herewith requests that citation and examination of the following documents be
made during the course of examination of the above-referenced application for
20 United States Letters Patent.

AA United States Patent No. 6,298,848
AB United States Patent No. 5,896,854
AC United States Patent No. 5,850,833
AD United States Patent No. 5,400,778
25 AL PCT Application WO 91/19526
AT "Aspiration of Airway Dead Space: A New Method to Enhance
CO₂ Elimination," De Robertis et al, American Journal of
Respiratory and Critical Care Medicine, Vol. 159, No. 3 (March
1999), pages 728-732

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EXPLANATION OF RELEVANCE

Reference AL was identified and discussed at page 1 of the present
specification.

The remaining references were cited in Category "A" as General Technological background information in the Search Report rendered by the Swedish Patent Office, and were also cited in the International Search Report rendered during previous examination of the present PCT application.

5 Copies of References AL and AT are submitted herewith, together with Form 1449 on which all of the references are listed.

All claims of the application are submitted to be patentable over the teachings of the above references, taken singly or in combination. Early consideration of the application is therefore respectfully requested.

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OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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